

**AGENDA TITLE:** International Literacy Day Proclamation

**MEETING DATE:** September 7,201 ■

PREPARED BY Library Services Director

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:** Mayor Johnson present a proclamation proclaiming Thursday,

September 8, 201 ■as "International Literacy Day."

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION:** Mayor Johnson has been requested to present a proclamation

proclaiming Thursday, September 8, 2011 as "International Literacy

Day." Terry Costa, Library Trustee and Literacy Tutor, will be

present to accept the proclamation.

In 1965 **UNESCO** proclaimed September 8th as International Literacy Day. Its aim is to highlight the importance of literacy to individuals, communities and societies. The theme for the 2011 International Literacy Day is "Literacy and Peace."

FISCAL IMPACT: Not applicable.

**FUNDING AVAILABLE:** Not applicable.

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APPROVED: Rad Bartlam, City Manager